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THE RAPID TRANSIT CO., A MONEY-MAKING CONCERN

There was a meeting of the shareholders in the Honolulu Rapid Transit & Land Co. yesterday morning in the office of the President, Stangenwald building. Reports were made by the treasurer and manager showing the company to be in a healthy condition.

During the year 1906 the company paid out in dividends the sum of \$47,000 carrying over a balance of net profits to 1907 \$30,759.67.

The total operating expenses, exclusive of taxes, were 56.83 per cent. of the gross earnings, as against 61.03 per cent. for 1905. The gross earnings, per average mile of road operated were \$15,827.86 and the net earnings \$6,683.91 as against \$14,543.86 and \$5,469.56, respectively, for the preceding year.

The amount of capital stock issued and outstanding as of December 31 consists of 3500 shares of 6 per cent., non-cumulative preferred stock \$350,000 and 8000 shares of common stock.

The funded debt amounting to \$690,000 remains as of last year and there are eighteen bonds of the value of one thousand dollars each remaining unsold.

The sum of \$6,418.65 was expended in construction, equipment and betterments.

There were 6,937,356 pay passengers carried during the year an increase of 442,420 over the previous year, the total passenger revenue reaching \$339,671.15 an increase of more than twenty thousand dollars. The net earnings of the express car were \$846.58 and the total increase of operating expenses, \$498.70 was mainly for repairs to the aquarium tanks.

There have been no extension of lines during the year and none are contemplated for the immediate future.

All of the old officers were reelected with the exception of Geo. P. Thielien who was succeeded as secretary by William Williamson.

The following extract is from the report submitted by General Manager Ballentyne:

The year embraced within this report was a very favorable one, showing a material increase over the results of the preceding year. The total passengers carried, including free passengers, was 7,062,852. Of the different classes the full-fare passengers were 6,628,476, half-fare passengers (school children) 308,880 and free passengers

125,496, the greater portion of the last consisting of police and letter carriers.

Passenger traffic yielded \$339,671.15
Freight and express traffic 8,380.77
Aquarium 1,863.90

Total \$349,915.82

Against which there was charged on account of—

Passenger traffic \$195,116.90
Freight and express traffic 3,026.05
Aquarium 4,004.77

Total \$202,147.72

Leaving a balance of net earnings from operations of \$147,768.10

The passenger traffic shows a profit of \$144,554.25; the freight and express traffic profit of \$5,254.72 and the Aquarium a loss of \$2,140.87. Against the balance of net earnings of \$147,768.10 there has been charged on tax account \$15,600, on car license account \$521; interest on funded debt \$41,400 and other interest \$225.76 a total of \$57,746.76, leaving a balance of net income on operation account of \$90,021.34, to which must be added miscellaneous income \$5730.60 making a total net income of \$95,751.94, being an increase over that of 1905 of \$24,311.54, equal to 34 per cent.

The car mileage for the year was 1,538,627, as against 1,502,209 for the preceding year, an increase of 36,418 miles, being a daily average of 4215 miles.

I append hereto a statement showing the monthly income and expenditure, including fixed charges, in connection with the operating accounts, which is self explanatory.

AQUARIUM.

I regret that I cannot make a favorable report as to the operations of the Aquarium for the year. The total admissions for the year were 19,232, of which 18,046 were adults and 1186 were children. Comparing these results with 1905 I find there was a falling off in the adult admissions of 4565 and in the admissions of children of 752. The income was \$1863.90 against which there was an expense account of \$4004.77 of which \$424.10 was chargeable to breakage of glass and the renewal of the piping in connection with the water distribution system; the original wooden pipes having been completely destroyed by the teredo.

In concluding I desire to express my sincere appreciation of the loyalty of the company's employees in all departments, to its interests. It is a source of great satisfaction to the management to have in our service a body of men in whom confidence can be placed, and who, while considering their own interest, are not unmindful of that of their employer.

adjoining or adjacent to this block. We therefore request that your immediate attention be given to this matter, not only for the purpose of completing the macadamizing of this entire section, but also for the purpose of protecting the work which has already been done.

The diagram referred to shows that Wyllie, Judd and Nuuanu streets, Puunui avenue and the makai portion of Liliha street have all been macadamized, but that Liliha from Judd to Wyllie street, has not been so treated.

The document was signed by G. R. Carter, J. R. Galt, A. F. Judd, Sam'l G. Wilder, A. W. Carter, C. du Roi, Bishop Libert, F. T. P. Waterhouse and others.

Residents and property owners residing in or about Sixth Avenue Kaihau petitioned that coral rock be placed on the road for 1250 feet makai of the Wailae road to enable their children, wives and themselves to go to town and school dry-shod.

Citizens and taxpayers residing in the section bounded by King street on the mauka side, Piikoi street on the Ewa street, Sheridan road on the Waikiki side and C. M. Cooke's swamp lands on the makai side, prayed the board to look into the matter of the roads in this district. The roads in this district are said to be next to impassable and children cannot, at times, get to school.

Property holders and residents of Manoa Valley petitioned the board to take cognizance of the deplorable condition of the Manoa road, as caused by the recent storms, and to replace a wooden bridge which has been washed out.

The above petitions were referred to the proper committee.

PARK KEEPERS.

An appointment of park keepers resulted as follows:

Aala Park—W. K. Kallimaj, J. W. Pahau.
Thomas Square—J. K. Kahoiwai, W. Bishaw.

Emma Square—L. W. Aylett.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

It was decided to insure the property and furniture of the county for the period of one year. The estimated cost as about \$30.

The Committee on Sanitation and Health was instructed to confer with Superintendent of Public Works Holway, to see what can be done in the matter of raising the garbage rates. This action was taken after receiving the advice of Deputy County Attorney Olson as to the legality of the proceeding.

Road Supervisor Johnson's bond was reduced from \$10,000 to \$5000.

Harvey and Fern tried to evolve a scheme whereby the road workers could get their wages nearer the time they were due. After a lengthy discussion it was decided to continue the old system of pay days.

At 9:30 o'clock the board adjourned till Feb. 5.

"Ma, what's a silhouette?" "It's one of them pert, silly girls that dances and sings in the pieces they play on the stage."—Baltimore American.

She—Would you rather walk or ride there? He—Well, I've been out in the motor car so much lately that I think I'd rather ride for a change.—Puck.

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RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans on real estate.....\$1,900.00	Capital paid in.....\$10,632.00
Loans on securities other than real estate.....9,549.73	Surplus fund.....268.92
Due from banks.....1,748.29	Dividends unpaid.....2,515.94
Cash on hand.....218.84	
\$13,416.86	\$13,416.86

I, HENRY C. HAPAI, Treasurer of the YOUNG HAWAIIAN LOAN & SAVING COMPANY, LIMITED, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY C. HAPAI,
Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of January, 1907.

JNO. M. KEA,
Notary Public, 1st Judicial Circuit, T. H.

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A RARE COPY OF THE SCRIPTURES

In the window of the Hawaiian Board book rooms in the Progress block is perhaps the oldest Bible ever seen in Honolulu. It is probably one of the "Bishop Bibles" which were ordered to be placed in all the churches in England early in Elizabeth's reign.

That this one was a church Bible seems probable as the marks of the steel clasps which constituted the "chain" are still visible. It is curious, however, that it contains that term "breeches" in Gen. 3:8 which is the peculiar mark of the Geneva or "breeches" Bible. The book is in remarkable state of preservation and shows the date 1578, very plainly in several places.

One of the noticeable things about the book is its fine workmanship; the print is clear and the paper must have been of a very superior sort of vellum to have stood the years so well. In reading this book all the old fashioned spelling, of which one hears so much of late, is curiously pertinent. The vigorous English also strikes one—crude old Anglo-Saxon which is not apt to mislead matters.

The book is the property of Mrs. C. J. Day and is loaned that the public may have the opportunity of seeing this rare old book.

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NOVEL IDEA IS REJECTED

(Continued from Page One.)

Answering a question he also stated that Inspector James C. Davis had already visited all of the schools on Molokai except two inaccessible at this season.

A promising report was made of the High school in Hilo, Mr. Babbitt saying it would have 75 pupils the coming year. He expected that Honolulu High school would have 150 pupils.

Referring to matters upon which he suggested the Commissioners should be posted, so that they could give information to inquiring members of the Legislature, Mr. Babbitt stated that the system of the department for keeping in touch with all of the schools in the Territory was now to all intents perfect. Any proper question about a teacher in even the remotest section could be answered immediately from data on the files of the department.

A supplementary report on industrial education, for inclusion in the departmental report, was submitted and approved but not made available for publication of any summary of its contents in advance of the main document.